Executive Hroclamation State of South Dakota Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty and concern for one's fellow man; and,

WHEREAS, Gertrude Van Asch has devoted her life to the betterment of her community, the caring and sharing with family and friends, and the day-to-day giving and loving which make South Dakota a great state in which to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, Sertrude Van Asch has reached her 80th birthday, an occasion of joy and celebration; and,

WHEREAS, Gertrude has given much to South Dakota during her lifetime and it is fitting that we honor Gertrude on this momentous occasion; and,

WHEREAS, On behalf of a state grateful for the benefits derived from Gertrude Van Asch's years as a productive and outstanding citizen of South Dakota:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. HICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 1, 1990, as

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in South Dakota, and I join her many friends and relatives in wishing Gertrude a very happy birthday and many more years of health and happiness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Ninth Day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Kundred and Winety

ATTEST:

SOYCH HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE

ORGE A MICKELSON, GOVERNOR